



**FEDERAL PRIMARY ELECTION CANVAS**  
**June 17, 2016**  
**COMMISSION CHAMBERS**  
**COURTHOUSE ANNEX, ROOM 111**  
**8:00 a.m.**

Notice: These minutes are paraphrased and reflect the proceedings of the meeting that took place for the Federal Primary Election Canvass. MCA 7-4-2611(2) (b). These minutes were approved at the Commission meeting on July 12, 2016.

**PRESENT:**

Justice of the Peace- Mary Jolley, Commission Chairman- Joe Briggs, Commissioner- James Larson, Election Supervisor- Lynn Deroche, Clerk & Recorder/Election Administrator Rina Fontana Moore and Chief Deputy Marie Johnson.

**Public:** None

**CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m. Lynn Deroche presented the final tabulations of votes (see Certification of Election R0323933). She announced that this election was 21,475 total votes cast which is 42% of all voters, which according to the Secretary of State it is a high turnout with an average being 40%.

Rina Fontana Moore stated that the cost of this election was high due to them being instructed to print all ballots for active and inactive voters. She also informed the Canvass Board that she had plenty of staff available for this election and was a great training opportunity for the upcoming November Election.

There was further discussion about the cost of the upcoming election.

The Canvass Board accepted the full, true and complete abstract of votes With the signatures of Commission Chairman- Joe Briggs, Commissioner- James Larson, and Justice of the Peace- Mary Jolley.

The Board of Canvassers certified the Federal Primary Election see document **R0323933. R0323933**

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 a.m.